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SUBJECT: US-UK CIVAIR NEGOTIATIONS: PRESS GUIDANCE

USDEL RECOMMENDS FOLLOWING FOR USE AT DEPT NOON PRESS
BRIEFING JUNE 20. NO THREAT OF CESSATION SHOULD BE
RAISED AT THIS POINT.

1. QUESTION--WHAT IS THE STATUS OF THE US-UK AVIATION
TALKS?
ANSWER--THE TALKS HAVE ENTERED THEIR FINAL PHASE.
THE TWO DELEGATIONS HAVE MOVED CLOSER TOGETHER ON
SEVERAL IMPORTANT ISSUES, BUT CERTAIN POINTS OF
FUNDAMENTAL DISAGREEMENT REMAIN. BOTH
SIDES ARE HOPEFUL THAT AGREEMENT ON THOSE POINTS CAN BE
REACHED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION OF THE EXISTING AGREEMENT
AT MIDNIGHT ON JUNE 21.

2. QUESTION--WHAT ARE THE REMAINING MAJOR ISSUES OF
DIFFERENCE?
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ANSWER--AT THIS POINT THE FOCUS OF DISCUSSION IS
NORTH ATLANTIC AND PACIFIC ROUTES.

3. QUESTION--BRITISH AIRWAYS HAS PLACED ADVERTISEMENTS
IN AMERICAN AND BRITISH NEWSPAPERS ADVISING TRAVELERS OF
CONTINGENCY PLANS IN THE EVENT DIRECT SERVICES BETWEEN
THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED KINGDOM ARE TERMINATED

ON JUNE 22. DOES THIS ACTION REFLECT A REALISTIC ASSESS-
MENT THAT CESSATION OF SERVICES IS LIKELY?

ANSWER--SINCE THE POSSIBILITY OF CESSATION CANNOT
BE RULED OUT ENTIRELY, AFFECTED CARRIERS HAVE NECESSARILY
DEVELOPED CONTINGENCY PLANS. APPROPRIATE PUBLIC ANNOUNCE
MENTS WOULD OF COURSE BE MADE AT THE POINT WHEN CESSATION
APPEARED TO BE A LIKELY OUTCOME.
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